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Group Art Unit 1624	
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Sir:

These amendments and remarks are in response to the Final Official Action, which was mailed on September 15, 2008 and which has a period of response which expires on December 15, 2008. The response is filed within two months of the September 15, 2008 Final Office Action.

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